



The promise and perils of Antarctic fishes. The remarkable life forms of the Southern Ocean have much to teach science about survival, but human activity is threatening their existence

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Abstract:

The waters around the Antarctic are a treasure trove of fauna specially adapted to extreme cold temperatures. However, as with many other marine ecosystems, its life forms are threatened by human actions.

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Resource Description

Communication:

resource focus on research or methods on how to communicate or frame issues on climate change; surveys of attitudes, knowledge, beliefs about climate change

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Communication Audience:

audience to whom the resource is directed

Policymaker

Exposure :

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

Ecosystem Changes, Food/Water Security

Food/Water Security: Fisheries, Other Marine Productivity

Geographic Feature:

resource focuses on specific type of geography

Arctic

Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

Non-United States

Non-United States: Antarctica

Health Co-Benefit/Co-Harm (Adaption/Mitigation): 

specification of beneficial or harmful impacts to health resulting from efforts to reduce or cope with greenhouse gases

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Health Impact: 

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

Health Outcome Unspecified

Intervention: 

strategy to prepare for or reduce the impact of climate change on health

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Mitigation/Adaptation: 

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Adaptation

Resource Type: 

format or standard characteristic of resource

Review

Timescale: 

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified

Vulnerability/Impact Assessment: 

resource focus on process of identifying, quantifying, and prioritizing vulnerabilities in a system

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